PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the County of Mercer and the New Jersey Turnpike Authority have filed a request with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, proposing to dispose of a portion of certain parklands located at Block 44, Lot 6 and Block 45, Lots 17 and 18 in the Township of East Windsor, totaling approximately 3.007 acres, in connection with the New Jersey Turnpike 6-9 Widening Program, which consists of approximately 35 miles of road widening and associated interchange improvements from the vicinity of Interchange 6, in Mansfield Township, Burlington County (Milepost 48) to Interchange 9 in East Brunswick Township, Middlesex County (Milepost 83). As compensation for the proposed disposal of portions of Block 44, Lot 6 and Block 45, Lots 17 and 18 in the Township of East Windsor, Mercer County will receive two hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$220,000.00) which will be utilized as contribution toward the purchase of approximately nine (9) acres of land at Block 30, Lot 12 in East Windsor, to be operated jointly as public parkland under a management agreement between the County of Mercer and the Township of East Windsor.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:36-26.11(e), a hearing to obtain public comment on this proposed conveyance and associated change in use will be held at:

Municipal Building Township of East Windsor 16 Lansing Boulevard East Windsor, New Jersey 08520 On June 30, 2010 at 7:30 p.m.

All information submitted by Mercer County and the New Jersey Turnpike Authority to the Green Acres Program in support of this requested disposal of parkland is available for public inspection at the following address.

Written comments on the proposed conveyance and associated change in use may be directed to Donna Lewis, Planning Director, at Mercer County Planning Division, 640 South Broad Street, P.O. Box 8068, Trenton, New Jersey08650, (609) 989-6545. Please send a copy of any comments submitted on this request to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, Bureau of Legal Service and Stewardship, P.O. Box 412, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0412

Public comment on this parkland transfer request will be accepted during the public hearing or until July 14, 2010